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O unexpected stroke! worse than death!
Must I thus leave thee, paradise? *Milton's Par. Lost.*
Them unexpected joy surpriz'd,
When the great enigm of Messiah blaz'd. *Milton.*
Their unexpected loss and plaints out-breath'd. *Milton.*
Some amazement;
But such as sprung from wonder, not from fear,
It was so unexpected. *Denham's Sophy.*
To the pale foes they suddenly draw near,
And summon them to unexpected fight. *Dryden.*
Deep was the wound; he stagger'd with the blow,
And turn'd him to his unexpected foe. *Dryden.*
When Barcelona was taken by a most unexpected accident
of a bomb lighting on the magazine, then the Catalonians
revolted. *Swift.*
UNEXPECTEDLY. *adv.* Suddenly; at a time unthought of.
Oft he seems to hide his face,
But unexpectedly returns. *Milton's Agonistes.*
A most bountiful present, when I was most in want of it,
came most seasonably and unexpectedly to my relief. *Dryden.*
If the concernment be poured in unexpectedly upon us, it
overflows us. *Dryden.*
You have fairer warning than others, who are unexpectedly
cut off. *Wake.*
My heart was filled with a deep melancholy, to see several
dropping unexpectedly in the midst of mirth. *Addison.*
Though you went away so unexpectedly, yet we have inform-
ed ourselves of every thing that hath happened to you. *Gay.*
UNEXPECTEDNESS. *n. f.* Suddenness; unthought of time or
manner.
He describes the unexpectedness of his appearance. *Watts.*
UNEXPERIENCED. *adj.* Not veried; not acquainted by trial
or practice.
The wisest, unexperienc'd, will be ever
Timorous and loth, with novice modesty,
Irresolute, unhardy, unadvent'rous. *Milton.*
Long use may strengthen men against many such incon-
veniences, which, to unexperienc'd persons, may prove very
hazardous. *Wilkins's Math. Magic.*
The pow'rs of Troy;
Not a raw and unexperienc'd train,
But a firm body of embattl'd men. *Dryden.*
These reproaches are the extravagant speeches of those un-
experienc'd in the things they speak against. *Tillotson.*
Unexperienc'd young men, if unwarn'd, take one thing
for another. *Locke.*
The smallest accident intervening, often produces such
changes, that a wife man is just as much in doubt of events,
as the most ignorant and unexperienc'd. *Swift.*
UNEXPEDIENT. *adj.* Inconvenient; not fit.
The like would not be unexpedient after meat, to assist and
cherish nature in her first concoction, and send their minds
back to study in good tune. *Milton on Education.*
UNEXPERT. *adj.* [inexpertus, Lat.] Wanting skill or knowledge.
Receive the partner of my inmost soul:
Him you will find in letters, and in laws
Not unexpert. *Prior.*
UNEXPLORED. *adj.*
1. Not searched out.
Oh! say what stranger cause, yet unexplo'r'd,
Could make a gentle belle reject a lord? *Pope.*
2. Not tried; not known.
Under thy friendly conduct will I fly,
To regions unexplo'r'd. *Dryden.*
UNEXPRESSED. *adj.* Not laid open to censure.
They will endeavour to diminish the honour of the best
treatise, rather than suffer the little mistakes of the author
to pass unexpress'd. *Watts's Improvement of the Mind.*
UNEXPRESSIBLE. *adj.* Ineffable; not to be uttered.
What unexpressible comfort does overflow the pious soul,
from a confidence of its own innocence. *Tillotson.*
UNEXPRESSIVE. *adj.*
1. Not having the power of uttering or expressing. This is the
natural and analogical signification.
2. Inexpressible; unutterable; ineffable; not to be expressed.
Improper, and out of use.
Run, run, Orlando, carve on every tree
The fair, the chaste, and inexpressive thee. *Shakespeare.*
With nectar pure his oozy locks he laves,
And hears the unexpressive, nuptial song,
In the blest kingdoms, meek, of joy and love. *Milton.*
The helmed cherubim,
And sworded seraphim,
Are seen in glittering ranks, with wings display'd,
Harping in loud and solemn quire,
With inexpressive notes to heaven's new-born heir. *Milton.*
UNEXTENDED. *adj.* Occupying no assignable space; having
no dimensions.
How inconceivable is it, that a spiritual, i. e. an unextended
substance, should represent to the mind an extended one, as a
triangle? *Locke.*

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UNEXTINGUISHABLE. *adj.* [inextinguibile, Fr.] Unquenchable;
not to be put out.
Pain of unextinguishable fire
Must exercise us, without hope of end. *Milton.*
What native, unextinguishable beauty must be impressed
through the whole, which the defecation of so many parts
by a bad printer, and a worse editor, could not hinder from
shining forth? *Bentley.*
UNEXTINGUISHED. *adj.* [inextinctus, Lat.]
1. Not quenched; not put out.
The souls, whom that unhappy flame invades,
Make endless moans, and, pining with desire,
Lament too late their unextinguish'd fire. *Dryden.*
Ev'n o'er your cold, your ever-fac'd urn,
His constant flame, shall unextinguish'd burn. *Lyttleton.*
2. Not extinguishable.
An ardent thirst of honour; a soul unsatisfied with all it
has done, and an unextinguish'd desire of doing more. *Dryden.*
UNFADED. *adj.* Not withered.
A lovely flower,
Unfaded yet, but yet unfed below,
No more to mother earth, or the green stem shall owe. *Dryden.*
UNFADING. *adj.* Not liable to wither.
For her th' unfading rose of Eden blooms,
And wings of seraphs shed divine perfumes. *Pope.*
UNFAILING. *adj.* Certain; not missing.
Nothing the united voice of all history proclaims so loud,
as the certain, unfailing curse, that has pursued and overtook
sacrilege. *South's Sermons.*
Thou, secure of my unfailing word,
Compose thy swelling soul, and sheath the sword. *Dryden.*
UNFAIR. *adj.* Disingenuous; subdulous; not honest.
You come, like an unfair merchant, to charge me with
being in your debt. *Swift.*
UNFAITHFUL. *adj.*
1. Perfidious; treacherous.
If you break one jot of your promise, I will think you
the most atheistical break-promise, and the most unworthy,
that may be chosen out of the gross band of the un-
faithful. *Shakespeare.*
My feet, through wine, unfaithful to their weight,
Betray'd me tumbling from a tow'ry height. *Pope.*
2. Impious; infidel.
Thence shall come
To judge th' unfaithful dead; but to reward
His faithful, and receive them into bliss. *Milton's Par. Lost.*
UNFAITHFULLY. *adv.* Treacherously; perfidiously.
There is danger of being unfaithfully counselled; and more
for the good of them that counsel, than for him that is
counselled. *Bacon.*
UNFAITHFULNESS. *n. f.* Treachery; perfidiousness.
As the obscurity of what some writers deliver, makes it
very difficult to be understood; so the unfaithfulness of too
many others, makes it unfit to be relied on. *Boyle.*
UNFALLOWED. *adj.* Not followed.
Th' unfallow'd glebe
Yearly o'ercomes the granaries with stores
Of golden wheat. *Philips.*
UNFAMILIAR. *adj.* Unaccustomed; such as is not com-
mon.
The matters which we handle, seem, by reason of new-
ness, dark, intricate, unfamiliar. *Hooker, b. i.*
Chaucer's uncouth, or rather unfamiliar, language, deters
many readers. *Warton's Spenser.*
UNFASHIONABLE. *adj.* Not modish; not according to the
reigning custom.
A man writes good sense, but he has not a happy manner
of expression. Perhaps he uses obsolete and unfashionable
language. *Watts's Logic.*
UNFASHIONABLENESS. *n. f.* Deviation from the mode.
Natural unfashionableness is much better than apish, affected
postures. *Locke.*
UNFASHIONED. *adj.*
1. Not modified by art.
Mark but how terribly his eyes appear;
And yet there is something roughly noble there;
Which, in unfashion'd nature, looks divine,
And, like a gem, does in the quarry shine. *Dryden.*
2. Having no regular form.
A lifeless lump, unfashion'd and unfram'd,
Of jarring seeds, and jostly chaos nam'd. *Dryden.*
UNFASHIONABLY. *adv.* [from unfashionable.]
1. Not according to the fashion.
2. Unartfully.
Deform'd, unfinish'd, sent before my time
Into this breathing world, scarce half made up;
And that so lamely and unfashionably,
That dogs bark at me. *Shakespeare's Rich. III.*
TO UNFAITHEN. *v. a.* To loose; to unfix.
He had no sooner unfathen'd his hold, but that a wave
forcibly spoiled his weaker hand of hold. *Ho.*

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His foes are so enrooted with his friends,
That plucking to unfix an enemy,
He doth unfixen so, and shake a friend. *Shakespeare.*
Then in the key-hole turns
Th' intricate wards, and every bolt and bar
Of massy iron, or solid rock, with ease
Unfixen. *Milton's Par. Lost. b. ii. l. 876.*
UNFATHERED. *adj.* Fatherless; having no father.
They do observe
Unfather'd heirs, and loathly births of nature. *Shakespeare.*
UNFATHOMABLE. *n. f.*
1. Not to be fathomed by a line.
In the midst of the plain a beautiful lake, which the in-
habitants thereabouts pretend is unfathomable. *Addison.*
Beneath unfathomable depths they faint,
And secret in their gloomy caverns pant. *Addison's Ovid.*
2. That of which the end or extent cannot be found.
A thousand parts of our bodies may be diversified in all
the dimensions of solid bodies; which overwhelms the fancy
in a new abyss of unfathomable number. *Bentley's Sermons.*
UNFATHOMABLY. *adv.* So as not to be fathomed.
Cover'd pits, unfathomably deep. *Thomson.*
UNFATHOMED. *adj.* Not to be fathomed.
The Titan race
He find'd with light'ning, rowl within the unfathom'd space. *Dryden.*
UNFATHOMED. *adj.* Unwearied; untired.
Over dank, and dry,
They journey toilsome, unfatig'd with length
Of march. *Phillips.*
UNFAVOURABLY. *adv.*
1. Unkindly; unpropitiously.
2. So as not to countenance, or support.
Bacon speaks not unfavourably of this. *Glanville.*
UNFEARED. *adj.*
1. Not affrighted; intrepid; not terrified.
Just men
Though heaven should speak with all his wrath at once,
That with his breath the hinges of the world
Did crack, we should stand upright and unfeared. *B. Johnson.*
2. Not dreaded; not regarded with terror.
UNFEASIBLE. *adj.* Impracticable.
UNFEATHERED. *adj.* Implumous; naked of feathers.
The mother nightingale laments alone;
Whole nest home prying churl had found, and thence
By stealth convey'd th' unfather'd innocence. *Dryden.*
UNFEATURED. *adj.* Deformed; wanting regularity of fea-
tures.
Village rough,
Deform'd, unfatur'd, and a skin of buff. *Dryden.*
UNFED. *adj.* Not supplied with food.
Each bone might through his body well be read,
And every sinew seen through his long fast;
For ought he car'd, his carcass long unfed. *Fairy Queen.*
A grilly foaming wolf unfed. *Reverend.*
UNFEED. *adj.* Unpaid.
It is like the breath of an unfeed lawyer; you gave me no-
thing for't. *Shakespeare's K. Lear.*
UNFEELING. *adj.* Insensible; void of mental sensibility.
Dull, unfeeling, barren ignorance,
Is made my goaler to attend on me. *Shakespeare. Rich. II.*
Unlucky Welford! thy unfeeling master,
The more thou ticklest, gripes his fit the faster. *Pope.*
UNFEIGNED. *adj.* Not counterfeited; not hypocritical; real;
sincere.
Here I take the like unfeigned oath,
Never to marry her. *Shakespeare. Taming of the Shrew.*
Thousand decencies that daily flow
From all her words and actions, mix'd with love,
And sweet compliance, which declare unfeigned
Union of mind. *Milton's Par. Lost.*
Sorrow unfeign'd, and humiliation meek. *Milton.*
Employ it in unfeigned piety towards God. *Sprat.*
UNFEIGNEDLY. *adv.* Really; sincerely; without hypocrisy.
He pardoneth all them that truly repent, and unfeignedly
believe his holy gospel. *Common Prayer.*
How should they be unfeignedly just, whom religion doth
not cause to be such; or they religious, which are not found
such by the proof of their just actions? *Hooker.*
Prince dauphin, can you love this lady? —
I love her most unfeignedly. *Shakespeare. K. John.*
Thou hast brought me and my people unfeignedly to repent
of the sins we have committed. *K. Charles.*
UNFEELT. *adj.* Not felt; not perceived.
All my treasury
Is but yet unfeelt thanks, which, more enrich'd,
Shall be your love and labour's recompence. *Shakespeare.*
Her looks, from that time infus'd
Sweetness into my heart, unfeelt before. *Milton's Par. Lost.*
'Tis pleasant, safely to behold from shore
The rowling ships, and hear the tempest roar;

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Not that another's pain is our delight,
But pains unfelt produce the pleasing sight. *Dryden.*
UNFENCED. *adj.*
1. Naked of fortification.
I'd play incessantly upon these jades;
Even till unfenced desolation
Leave them as naked as the vulgar air. *Shakespeare.*
2. Not surrounded by any inclosure.
UNFERMENTED. *adj.* Not fermented.
All such vegetables must be unfermented; for fermenta-
tion changes their nature. *Arbuthnot on Aliments.*
UNFERTILE. *adj.* Not fruitful; not prolific.
Peace is not such a dry tree, such a taleless, infertile thing,
but that it might fructify and increase. *Deay of Piety.*
TO UNFETTER. *v. a.* To unchain; to free from shackles.
Unfetter me with speed, *Dryden.*
I see you troubled that I bleed.
This most useful principle may be unfetter'd, and restored
to its native freedom of exercise. *Addison's Spectator.*
The soul in these instances is not entirely loose and un-
fetter'd from the body. *Addison's Spectator.*
Th' unfetter'd mind by thee sublim'd. *Thomson.*
UNFIGURED. *adj.* Representing no animal form.
In unfigured paintings the noblest is the imitation of mar-
bles, and of architecture, as arches, freezes. *Walton.*
UNFILLED. *adj.* Not filled; not supplied.
Come not to table, but when thy need invites thee; and
if thou best in health, leave something of thy appetite un-
filled. *Taylor's Rule of Living Holy.*
The air did not precisely fill up the vacancies of the vessel,
since it left so many unfilled. *Boyle.*
The throne of my forefathers
Still stands unfill'd. *Addison's Cato.*
UNFIRM. *adj.*
1. Weak; feeble.
Our fancies are more giddy and unfirm
Than women's are. *Shakespeare. Twelfth Night.*
So is the unfirm king
In three divided; and his coffers found
With hollow poverty and emptiness. *Shakespeare.*
2. Not stable.
Take the time, while stagger'ing yet they stand,
With feet unfirm, and prepossess the strand. *Dryden.*
UNFULFILL. *adj.* Unfuitable to a son.
You offer him a wrong,
Something unfilial.
Teach the people, that to hope for heaven is a merechary,
legal, and therefore unfilial, affection. *Boyle.*
UNFINISHED. *adj.* Incomplete; not brought to an end; not
brought to perfection; imperfect; wanting the last hand.
It is for that such outward ornament
Was lavish'd on their sex, that inward gifts
Were left for haste unfinish'd. *Milton.*
I dedicate to you a very unfinished piece. *Dryden.*
His hasty hand left his pictures to unfinished, that the beauty
in the picture faded sooner than in the person after whom it
was drawn. *Spectator, N^o. 83.*
This collection contains not only such pieces as come under
our review, but many others, even unfinished. *Swift.*
UNFIT. *adj.*
1. Improper; unsuitable.
They easily perceive how unfit that were for the present,
which was for the first age convenient enough. *Hooker.*
Neither can I think you would impose upon me an unfit
and over-ponderous argument. *Milton on Education.*
2. Unqualified.
Unfit he was for any worldly thing,
And eke unable once to stir or go.
Old as I am, for ladies love unfit,
The pow'r of beauty I remember yet. *Dryden.*
A genius that can hardly take in the connection of three
propositions, is utterly unfit for speculative studies. *Watts.*
TO UNFIT. *v. a.* To disqualify.
Those excellencies, as they qualified him for dominion,
so they unfitted him for a satisfaction or acquiescence in
his vassals. *Government of the Tongue.*
UNFITTING. *adj.* Not proper.
Although monosyllables, so rise in our tongue, are unfitting
for verses, yet are they the most fit for expressing briefly the
first conceits of the mind. *Camden.*
UNFITLY. *adv.* Not properly; not suitably.
Others, reading to the church those books which the apostles
wrote, are neither untruly nor unfitly said to preach. *Hooker.*
The kingdom of France may be not unfitly compared to a
body that hath all its blood drawn up into the arms, breast
and back. *Howel.*
UNFITNESS. *n. f.*
1. Want of qualifications.
In setting down the form of common prayer, there was
no need that the book should mention either the learning
of a fit, or the unfitness of an ignorant minister. *Hooker.*